

**IN THE
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Appl. No. : 10/709,842 **Confirmation No.** : 3841
Applicant : Steven P. Hanson, *et al.*
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**AMENDMENT
AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office action of October 25, 2006, for which the one (1) month shortened deadline is November 25, 2006, Applicants amend the above-identified application as set forth below. No extension of time is thought to be due for this response.

Amendments to the Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.